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FAUQUIER COUNTY VATI GRANT PUBLIC NOTICE

Fauquier County intends to apply for a 2020 Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development Telecommunications Initiative grant to support the deployment of broadband service to serve the Orlean, Virginia area. The purpose of this Public Notice is to solicit comment from the public.

The County desires expansion of broadband access in unserved areas; this program utilizes a Public/Private Partnership. The network will be designed o serve customers at speeds of 10 MBps upload and better. The build of this network is contingent upon the award of a grant.

Comments are invited and will be received on this project up to close of business August 16th. Please submit comments to Catherine Heritage, Deputy County Administrator, 10 Hotel Street, Warrenton, Virginia, (540) 422-8005, <u>Katie.heritage@fauquiercounty.gov</u>. All comments will be submitted with the application.